(ग) क्या गुजरात सरकार ने गुजरात और दिल्ली के बीच सीधी उड़ानें आरम्भ करने हेतु केन्द्रीय सरकार से कोई आग्रह किया है ; और

(घ) यदि हां, तो इन उड़ानों क कब तक आरम्भ कर दिये जाने की आशा है ?

नागर विमानन विभाग में राज्य मंत्री (श्री जगदीश टाइटलर) : (क) जी नहीं ।

(ख) प्रश्न नहीं है ।

(ग) इंडियन एयरलाइंस पहले ही दिल्ली और अहमदाबाद के बीच एक दैनिक बो–737 सीधी निरन्तर उड़ान का प्रचालन कर रही है ।

(घ) प्रश्न नहीं है ।

Removal of Capt. D Joseph to Air India

342. SHRI SURESH KALMADI:
SHRI DHARAM CHANDER PRASHANT:

Will the Minister of TRANSPORT be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that Capt. D. Joseph of Air India has been removed as a check pilot;

(b) if so, what were the reasons therefor; and

(c) whether any inquiry was held into the matter?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE DEPARTMENT OF CIVIL AVIATION (SHRI JAGDISH TYTLER): (a) to (c) The Directorate General of Civil Aviation has not renewed the check-pilotship of Capt. D. Joseph, for the year 1986 only, because of his involvement in an inquiry.

Reversion of the old timings of the C.G.H.S.

343. SHRI RAMANAND YADAV: Will the Minister of HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE be pleased to state:

(a) whether Government are aware of the inconvenience faced by the Government servants, Members of Parliament and other beneficiaries of C.G.H.S. due to the change in timings; and

(b) whether it is proposed to revert to the old timings and thus opening the CGHS dispensaries both the times to benefit the office goers who are unable to visit dispensaries in the mornings?

THE DEPUTY MINISTER IN THE DEPARTMENT OF FAMILY WELFARE (SHRI S. KRISHNA KUMAR): (a) and (b) Government is aware of the demands of several beneficiaries to revert back to the old timings of the C.G.H.S. dispensaries. After taking into account all the relevent considerations it has been recently decided that those dispensaries which were working earlier for 12 hours on two-shift basis would revert back to the old timings and efforts would be made to provide better medical care to the C.G.H.S. beneficiaries even outside the normal working hours in other CGHS dispensaries.

Migration of India engineers and scientists

344. SHRI DHULESHWAR MEENA: Will the Minister of HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that according to a recent study, migration of Indian engineers and scientists to the West, particularly to the United States, is increasing;

(b) whether it is also a fact that most of the migrating engineers are from the Indian Institutes of Technology and are considered the best in the world;

(c) if so, what are the reasons for the IIT's best continuing heading towards the West; and

(d) what steps are being taken to check this migration?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION AND CULTURE (SHRIMATI SUSHILA ROHATGI): (a) The Government is not aware of such a study dealing with migration of Indian Engineers and Scientists abroad.